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The reply filed on August 19, 2004 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant did not address the 35 USC 102 rejection applied against the claims nor amend the claims to overcome such rejection. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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